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In re Patent Application of) Attention: Applications Branch Jun KOYAMA et al. Serial No. 09/851,433 Filed: May 9, 2001 SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE For:

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Please preliminary amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claims 10-15, 17-20, and 22-27 as follows:

(Amended) A semiconductor device according to any one of claims 1-3, 5-7, or 9, characterized in that said semiconductor device has a function of displaying a still image in accordance with the image data stored in said memory portion.

- (Amended) A semiconductor device according to any one of claims 1-3, 5-7, or 11. 9, characterized in that said semiconductor device includes a memory control circuit, and said memory control circuit and said memory portion are formed on the same substrate.
- (Amended) A semiconductor device according to any one of claims 1-3, 5-7, or 12. 9, characterized in that said semiconductor device is composed of a first region having a function of displaying the image and a second region having a function of supplying the image data to said first region,

said first region includes the substrate on which the pixel portion is formed, and the semiconductor device includes a first display method of displaying the image in accordance with the image data supplied from said second region and a second display method